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REFERENCES

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REMARKS

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1. At about 1 p.m. on 12 September 1953, 2 biplanes, 1 single-engine aircraft and 1 twin-engine aircraft [redacted] were observed at Rangsdorf airfield. Two railroad cars with aircraft scrap were on the spur track. At about 2:30 p.m. on 23 September, aircraft parked at the field included 5 biplanes, 3 single-engine aircraft and 2 twin-engine aircraft with the [redacted] red rudder assemblies.
2. At about 8:20 a.m. on 19 September, a Li-2 with a red stripe on the rudder assembly and with canvas-covered engines was observed at the field. The gates of the hangar were open.

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[redacted] Comment. Repair shops for piston engines and for the overhauling of conventional aircraft are located at Rangsdorf airfield. No information [redacted] indicating the strength of the personnel.

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